

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

MONDAY.

Eggs are scarce.

Last night was another cold one.

Prescott has two good night-watchmen.

Mr. H. J. North came in on the coach this morning from California.

J. H. Hughes and lady arrived at home this afternoon.

Roll Miller, of Skull Valley, has been visiting Prescott, and was accompanied by Mrs. M.

Tim Fell, owner of a good ranch in Ferguson Valley, has sold the same to some gentlemen for about \$1,200.

DEPARTED.—Wm. Sexton and Chas. E. Bowen left on the stage, this morning, for Dos Palms, and J. M. Evans for Ehrenberg.

Joe Melvin, who has had his arm broken and his shoulder dislocated by the running away of his team, is on the mend, and thinks he will soon be as good as new again.

Armstrong and Goodhue are getting rid of their imported fruit and ornamental trees quite rapidly. Dr. McCandless, we understand has purchased four or five hundred dollars worth for his Santa Maria farm.

Willie Palmer, we understand, is the youngest pupil in the higher grade of the Prescott public school. He is a bright boy, and we suspect, has able assistance at home, to enable him to keep up with his older classmates in his studies.

Mr. Bennett the repairer of firearms and machinery, has received a new supply of tools direct from the city, and now has one of the most complete establishments of the kind in Arizona.

Fred Henry the "old timer," is in town. Fred has been rambling among the rich mines of Humboldt District, and tells us that said district is the richest in Arizona, and he has seen them all, and knows whereof he speaks.

James Baker, farmer, stock raiser, etc., of the Upper Verde, came in from his home on Saturday, and gives good reports from his section. Mr. Baker is one of the most successful sheep men in Arizona.

The Surveyor-General should remove his headquarters to Prescott, the Capital of the Territory. Although there is nothing in the law compelling him to do so, it is generally customary, (and in every other Territory the case), to have the Surveyor-General's office at the seat of government.

The Argonaut, an excellent paper, is printed in San Francisco with Miller & Richard's Scotch type. This firm sells type of superior quality, as to finish and durability, at much lower rates than any American foundry can afford it. Their type is extra hard, and will claim, wear and remain clear for a long time after the products of other foundries have become dull.

The new press purchased by J. S. Butler of Oakland, at the Pacific Type Foundry on which, is to be printed the Salt River Herald, is in size a Washington. No. 5, patent roller bed cost \$386, in San Francisco and is the finest hand press made. The press has arrived at Yuma as has a large supply of paper and it will be only a short time before the press will be in full blast. The manager has contracted with the Miner for running off the first number of the Herald, which will be issued on Saturday coming.

MARRIED.—Kelly, a "blooming youth," well known in Prescott for his many virtues and industrious habits, was, last evening, united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Mrs. Loosley, a lady late of San Francisco, and one who has lived to see the rose blossom and die some fifty summers. The old adage, that "it is never too late to do good," is certainly demonstrated in this instance. Kelly, a young man of about 25, is now one of the most successful men in Prescott, and will, probably, live, love, etc., "as but one single thought."

PRUITT TAKES.—Mr. Geo. Banghart, one of our prosperous farmers, has purchased from Mr. Goodhue, the tree-lander, a large variety of fruit trees, which are to ornament his valuable farm in the Valle de Chino. Mr. Banghart has had much experience in the nursery business, in numerous localities, embracing Canada, the Western States, and California, and is satisfied that with proper care and treatment, trees can be raised to bear, here in Arizona, equal to the Western States of Illinois, Michigan or Wisconsin.

PROZEN.—William Hawthorn, the mail-carrier, over that portion of the route between Camp Verde and the Little Colorado, known as the "Rocky road to Dublin," or Mogollons, had the sad misfortune, on one of his trips, during the late snow storm and cold snap, to have his foot frozen so badly that it has become necessary to amputate the toes, and fears are entertained that his feet will also have to be taken off. It is to be hoped that the latter will not have to be resorted to.

GILL HAGGET.—We are in receipt of a letter from our old friend, Mr. Gill Hagget, of Camp Apache, containing the price of the WEEKLY MINER for one year. Mr. Hagget has been a contributor to the Miner for some time, and has been a "reader" of the paper for many years, where he has made "cents" of money, and hosts of warm friends. Gill has also been engaged for some time at Apache in the raising of potatoes which are renowned for their flavor, and meaty properties. A "batch" of his old friends, including Bill Hagget, contemplate making him a visit this fall and he hopes that he will be on "time" with the murphy.

THE BRICK WORK.—Mr. Joyner will tomorrow morning start on the brick work of the new Court House, the stone part having been completed to the satisfaction of the contractors. It is Mr. Joyner's intention to push the work as rapidly as possible until the walls are up. They will start in with three bricklayers, and as fast as room can be made on the short walls for others, they will be put on. There are so many angles in the outer wall, and so many partitions, that we understand it makes it a little tedious to get fairly started, but no time will be lost that can possibly be utilized.

LETTER FROM POSTAL AGENT ADAMS, ON A DIRECT MAIL TO THE EAST.

DENVER, COLORADO, Jan. 8, 1878.

J. W. Old, Postmaster, Prescott, A. T.

I am trying to get a star mail service put on a route from the terminus of the railway here, in Colorado, to Prescott, direct, daily, to open up communication with Arizona to the East. Our Senators in Congress have promised their aid, and I am in hopes the service will be put on so you can have a mail from St. Louis in six days, and from New York in eight days, and from San Francisco in ten days. To this end I am getting a petition with signatures of your prominent business men, asking for this through line.

C. ADAMS.

P. A. of P. O. D.

We understand that this petition is being prepared by Gov. Cooper, in accordance with the above suggestions, and will soon be presented to our people for their signatures. It is useless for us to suggest that they all sign it. They will do that without urging.

MONDAY.

Ford Pierce, Deputy Sheriff, had his man, and then he didn't have him.

James E. Graham, got in this afternoon, from Salt River. His teams are still beyond Skull Valley.

Adam Scott, and wife, and others from Ferguson Valley, visited the M. O. Q. P.'s party, at the City Hall, last evening.

Dan O'Leary came in from Walnut Creek and represents everything quiet in that rural district.

We observe in town, to-day: Phil McDonald, of Williamson Valley; and G. W. Hunt, and H. V. Cram, of the Verde River.

Eli Pantaney, an old hand at the bellows, is furnishing the Government hay on his contract.

In this high altitude too much of the "O" he joyful" is a dangerous beverage, as it has a tendency to produce highness.

Mining news from all the mining camps gave us the same old, old story—rich strikes and "everything is lovely and the quartz runs high."

Deceitful took his passengers clear through to Dos Palms, this trip, and was waiting over there last Sunday, for some expected freight.

Seventy thousand dollars worth of Bonds with coupons attached, have just been printed at the MINER office, on the County building fund.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.—John W. Swain, an old and respected citizen of Pima County, in this Territory, died at Florence the 11th inst.

The death warrants of Lewis and Malone were signed to-day. March 15th, the day fixed for their execution, and unless some action by the Governor be taken, the sentence of the Court will take its course.

ALL SHIPPED.—We learn from Mr. Blake, that he has received advices from Ehrenberg, that the eighty tons of Prescott freight mentioned yesterday, is all shipped and on the way.

THE DAY FIXED.—Judge Tweed has designated Friday, March 15th, as the day on which Lewis and Malone must suffer the extreme penalty of the law. Their only hope now is escape or Executive clemency.

The most terrific snow storm accompanied by unprecedented cold weather visited Canada and the United States along the border of the Dominion, during the early part of the present month.

As high as twenty miles were, the other day hit with a loaded wagon, and had hard work, at that, to pull it down the hill into Mint Valley. The inference is that it was a bit muddy.

Lieut. Perrine left, to-day, for Camp Huachuca, where he has been ordered to take duty as Aid at Fort Whipple to the Commanding General.

Of the many nice Calendars for 1878, sent us by different institutions, the one presented this morning, by F. W. Blake, Agent for the Home Mutual Insurance Co., is the largest and best.

The M. O. Q. P.'s gave their second party, (calico) at the City Hall, last evening. Over fifty couples were present, and seemed to enjoy themselves in keeping time to the popular air discoursed by the 8th Infantry string band.

The Weekly Miner is the largest paper printed in Arizona, has the largest circulation, and consequently can easily be furnished at four dollars per year. Sheriff's sales in the MINER only cost \$15 for publication.

Sam Weir has started for the Tiptop with several thousand dollars of silver from Curtis' mill. This is for the Company, and not for the mill contractors, who have already got their's all on the ground.

The attention of the citizens of West Prescott and those living in School District No. 10, is directed to a notice of the Trustees of the new district published in another column.

James Mile, from Humboldt District, visited Prescott on Saturday, and exhibited to our view some wonderfully rich ore, taken from his mines, the Maiden, Muldoon, Jack on the Green, etc., which seemed to be more silver than anything else. The Maiden is about 12 inches wide, and the ore all of a high grade character.

FREDERICK & HILL.—This is the name of the new firm of tinmiths, whose hammers are within ear-shot of the MINER office.

Sam Hill has bought in with Frederick, and has gone to work like a beaver, and by the way, Billy Vigor is still with the concern, working like Sam Hill.

MAILS.—In our reports published a short time since, of mail routes to be let, we omitted one of the most important, a fact we are reminded of by Hon. H. S. Stevens, our Delegate in Congress. The route referred to, is No. 46,135, from the station of the S. P. R. R. by Peopla and Ivanpah to Hardyville, a distance of 310 miles twice a week, will connect with the mail from Prescott to Hardyville.

SANTA FE ILLUSTRATED MOSTLY.—Santa Fe has essayed a role in which, both Chicago and San Francisco have signally failed, viz, the publication of a literary magazine. It is true that New Mexico presents a new and novel field, in her pre-historic ruins, her ancient Jesuit churches, Indian relics, etc., but we fear these will not last long enough to make the enterprise a success. Our wish is, however, that it may succeed, as the copy before us is a credit to any community, and if properly supported, it must be of great advantage to the country.

The Labor party of Oakland, Cal., sent delegates from the different Ward Clubs to a convention on the evening of the 14th, and nominated J. W. Bones, for Senator. On the announcement of Bone's nomination, the Agitators held a meeting at the Academy of Music, San Francisco, at which Kearney and other well known congressional speakers, and urged the voters of Alameda County to support the Workingmen's candidate.

L. Wiley, of Elko, Nev., one of the most enterprising and best citizens of that State, died suddenly while attending to business on the 15th inst.

The writer had the honor and pleasure of an intimate acquaintance with the deceased, and learns of his sudden taking off with that sincere regret that attends the departure of a personal friend. Mr. W. has left an interesting and devoted family in the city of Sacramento, on whom the blow must fall with crushing effect.

A NEW ARCTIC EXPEDITION.—A whaling steamer, the Vega, has been bought for the Swedish Arctic expedition, which is to start next July from Gothenburg. The vessel is strongly built, and will carry coal enough for a cruise of 8,000 miles; she is to be supplied with sufficient provisions to serve for three years. Capt. Palmgren will be in command; less than 30 persons will be on board; in all, three or four will constitute the scientific corps. The King of Sweden, the Government, Oscar Dickson, of Gothenburg, and Mr. Sibirskoff (a Russian), jointly defray the expenses. The projected voyage will circumnavigate both Asia and Europe.

Brigham Young's death was being discussed at a Lone dining party, when a young lady started the rather bold contention that the principles of Mormonism should for the future be reserved. "Times," she said, "are so bad, and fashions are so expensive, that it is absurd for one man to have four or five wives; whereas, if such women had four or five husbands, see how much cheaper it would be for each husband, and" the point at which seemed most to command belief to her—"how much better wives could dress."

TUESDAY.

Kelly, since he joined "Gideon's Band" has been acting rather loosely and has kept full of the "O, be joyful."

The Perry mine is yielding some extraordinary rich ore, and the owners are well satisfied with their property.

Quite a delegation came in from the Peck yesterday, and say that times are lively in that camp.

The man who stole the money from Mr. Gerary, a few days since, has been heard from again at Wickenburg.

William Valley raises more hay than any other valley in Yavapai county, and in this article of commerce, which always commands ready sale, his much of the wealth of the citizens of that place.

Another rich strike is reported in the Humboldt district. The new lead is said to be over a foot wide, and ore that will average ten thousand dollars to the ton.

Phil McDonald of Williamson Valley, who furnishes our lively stables with hay, came in this morning with a large load which was raised on his ranch at the upper end of the Valley.

Judge French, or as he has had occasion to state, the subject of the subject, and just of Judge on the Bench, who has been with us for the last three weeks, as Chief Justice in the Supreme Court, leaves for his home at Tucson, to-morrow morning by coach.

A rambling Canary is advertised in this issue of the MINER, and any person who by chance might be able to capture the little rambler, will receive the thanks and be sent \$5.00 worth of potatoes, which he sold to Messrs. Wollenberg and Levi for 9 cents per pound, or seven hundred and twenty dollars. The potatoes are the finest we have ever seen in this Territory, and Arizona can boast of producing some very fine "spuds."

SHERIFF'S SALE OF BLACK WARRIOR STOCK.—Of the 1,330 shares of Black Warrior stock, belonging to Mr. Raines, attached in the case of A. McBride vs. the Black Warrior Company, 1,083 shares were sold to-day, by the Sheriff, at 16 cents a share, to John A. Rush. They will probably be redeemed.

The Mogollon range of mountains has pine timber sufficient to build 100 transcontinental railways and several cities as large as New York. In returning home from his great wealth, and the time is fast approaching when the outside world will be seeking for his purchase.

S. C. Miller & Bro. have received a letter from Mr. H. C. Hooker, in regard to the stealing of Miller's cattle by Mr. Hooker's cattle drivers. Mr. Hooker regrets the thing very much, and is anxious to join the Messrs. Miller in prosecuting and punishing the offenders of the law.

POTATOES.—Mr. Brown, of the Verde Valley, arrived in town yesterday with a load of 8,000 pounds of potatoes, which he sold to Messrs. Wollenberg and Levi for 9 cents per pound, or seven hundred and twenty dollars. The potatoes are the finest we have ever seen in this Territory, and Arizona can boast of producing some very fine "spuds."

Mrs. W. H. Grove we hear spoken of as keeping the best private boarding-house in Prescott. In connection with her well regulated boarding apartment, which is furnished with all the delicacies the market affords, she has a number of furnished rooms elegantly fitted up, which are for rent.

The Territory of Arizona was organized out of the west half of New Mexico, at Navajo Springs, 7 miles west of the New Mexico line, in 1833, and Jno. N. Goodwin inaugurated Governor, and R. C. McCormick, Secretary. Governor Bashford was present.

The Supreme Court, to-day, fixed the amount of the appeal bond in the Cole-Bene case, to enable Mr. and Mrs. Ben to appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, at \$25,000. The bond, we understand is already made up and ready to file.

The run on the Doctor shop has been light to-day, compared with yesterday. No financial embarrassment can stop the Tycos, carriage, which can be seen flying in all directions as if nothing had happened.

Caldwell and Pardee have started a lumber yard at the corner of Montezuma and Willis streets, where they keep on hand all kinds of lumber, seasoned and ready for the mechanic. Their lumber is of superior quality, and having caught the low price fever, they are determined to give a large quantity for a small amount of money. "No markers put up."

The brick for the new Courthouse is being hauled to its place, and quite a pile is already on the ground. The carpenters were not quite ready this morning, a few joists yet to put in place; but if it does not storm, of which there appears to be some prospect, the workmen will begin in the morning to spread the mortar and drop in the bricks quite lively.

IMPORTANT DECISION.—Judge Tweed rendered a decision this morning in the case of Mary M. Bean against the Peck Mining Companies, granting an injunction as prayed for in the complaint, until the final hearing of the case. This decision practically closes the case so far as the ownership of the Peck mine and mill is concerned, and prohibits the Arizona Peck Company from parting with the possession of its property.

BEATIFYING.—The value of the fruit trees and shrubbery ordered by the citizens of this county through Goodhue & Armstrong, aggregates about eleven thousand dollars. The trees, etc., came through in excellent condition, and nearly all have been called for by those ordering them, and are therefore planted on the farms of the county or wisely made purchases. The young orchards planted in 1878, will in the course of four or five years, with proper care, cause one of the objections to a life in Arizona to disappear that, being an absence of fruit. Yavapai is destined eventually to become a good fruit country. One of the necessary things to be resorted to in this section, where frost comes late in the Spring, is, during the winter to cause snow to be placed around the tree and it covered around with manure, which should be kept around the roots of the tree until late in the Spring before removing thereby, keeping the tree from budding and blossoming as is generally the case, which exposes them to the late frosts, and a blast of fruit.

PECK MILL.

The arrangements are all perfected for the starting of the new mill belonging to the Peck Company, to-day. It will probably make but a short run at the commencement, but will be of great use in the future, for the heating department with power to propel the various pulleys, wheels, pumps, etc. The proprietors have contracted with Tolman & Co., for the delivery of 400 cords of wood immediately, and as soon as they get on the ground and commence work, the mill will have no obstacle in the way to prevent the steady running of this new and powerful ore reducer, which has been placed there. It now stands, close to the most valuable mine in this Territory, the celebrated Peck. Hundreds of tons of rich chlorides are now piled on the dump at the mine, only too willing to yield up their shining treasures to the call of the busy train beneath whose power it will be placed, there to be pulverized and separated by the fire, planned by the ingenious mind of man.

PRESCOTT.

THE LOIBILLON.

GOODWIN STREET. - - - PRESCOTT, A. T.

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Dry Goods and Clothing,

GROCERIES,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

WINE, LIQUORS AND CIGARS,

Cheap for Cash.

Produce of the country bought at best market rates.

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CAMPBELL & PARKER,

CARPENTERS & JOINERS.

FOR SASH DOORS AND BLINDS.

Made to Order on Shortest Notice.

CARRIAGE AND WAGON WORK,

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Architectural Drawings, Work

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SELF GOVERNING WINDMILL.

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New House—New Everything.

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accommodation, and that he will be pleased to sell them

GOOD BREAD,

Five Loaves for One Dollar.

PIES, CAKES, ETC.

Board per week.....\$3.00

Single meals.....75

THE SALOON DEPARTMENT

Will always be found well stocked with pretty good

Drinks and Cigars. DAN. HATZ.

Prescott, Arizona, December 23, 1874.

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Prescott, Arizona.

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Keeps a large stock of and for sale Ayer's, Jayne's, Bristle's, Bull's, Bala's, and others.

Family Medicines,

and in fact a full assortment of

PATENT REMEDIES

now in the market, warranted always fresh and genuine

and in fact a full assortment of

Family Toilet Articles,

such as Soap, Perfumery, Cologne, Salubrious, Lushes and Bay Rum, and the largest supply of

DISPENSING MEDICINES

Never kept in Arizona, enabling me to put up any character of PRESCRIPTION that may be sent in from Yuma or County, and I have, by strict attention to my business, in which I have been engaged for the last twenty-five years, to merit and receive a very liberal patronage.

Physicians' Prescriptions

Always carefully and accurately compounded. A competent and obliging clerk always in attendance.

GEO. D. KENDALL.

Prescott, April 11, 1877.

CHRISTMAS

— AND —

NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS

W. J. HOWARD

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FINE GOLD JEWELRY,

Consisting of

Watches, Chains, Ear Rings, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Lockets, Etc., Etc.

Manufactured expressly for the California trade.

No Rolled Plate nor Gilt Jewelry

But good gold, and guaranteed. All of which will be sold at least 25% below the prices of the same in

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A BAKERY STOCK OF CLOTHING, DRY GOODS

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Ladies, Gentlemen, Boys and Children's wear. We have struck the

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LADIES' WEAR:

Empress cloth.....\$0.50 yd worth \$1.25

Black silk alpaca from \$0.50 to \$1.00 yd worth \$1.25

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Very fine overalls.....from \$1.00 to \$1.50 worth \$2.00

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